

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION**

MDG PARTNERS, LLP

Plaintiff

VS.

MARKEL SERVICE, INC. and
ESSEX INSURANCE COMPANY,

Defendants.

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CIVIL ACTION NO. 4:15-cv-01377

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NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

COMES NOW Defendants, Markel Service, Inc. and Essex Insurance Company, and respectfully advise that the parties have reached a settlement in this matter. Upon finalization of the settlement, the parties anticipate filing a joint stipulation of dismissal with prejudice with the Court. Accordingly, the parties respectfully ask that this Court abate all deadlines from its docket.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on the 4th day of August, 2015, a true and correct copy of the foregoing instrument was delivered to all known counsel of record in accordance with the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and applicable Local Rules, as follows:

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